

## Message Text

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DRAFTED BY REVISED TEXT REC'D FROM WHITE HOUSE  
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TO AMEMBASSY LIBREVILLE PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PDEV, GB, US

SUBJECT: NATIONAL DAY MESSAGE.

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING TO PRESIDENT BONGO AT APPROPRIATE TIME PRIOR TO MARCH 12. QUOTE DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:  
ON THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY OF GABON'S RENOVATION DAY, IT IS  
A PLEASURE FOR ME TO EXTEND BEST WISHES AND CONGRATULATIONS  
ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. OUR TWO COUNTRIES ENJOY  
CLOSE AND CONSTRUCTIVE RELATIONS ROOTED IN GROWING FRIENDSHIP  
AND SHARED INTERESTS. I LOOK FORWARD TO THE  
CONTINUED STRENGTHENING OF THESE MUTUAL BONDS. WITH  
WARM BEST WISHES, SINCERELY, JIMMY CARTER UNQUOTE

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2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN RELEASE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION  
TO RELEASE BY GOG. VANCE

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## Message Attributes

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